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RIVERVIEW Neighborhood Association

December, 1996

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HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

OUR ANNUAL FOOD & TOY DRIVE

RNA is once again asking its members and friends to donate dry or canned goods and new or used toys to its annual holiday drive. Monetary contributions can also be made and will be used to purchase food and toys. All contributions will be given to the Salvation Army for distribution during this holiday season. Items should be brought to the next RNA meeting on December 10th. Arrangements can also be made to drop items off with Maria Tuzzo (659-2245) until Thursday, December 12th. Please give generously to those that are less fortunate.

RNA HOLIDAY PARTY

RNA invites all its members, neighbors and friends to toast the holidays at our year-end party on December 10th. Traditionally, this invitation is also extended to all our friends from other neighborhood associations and City government, including our councilpersons, department officials and workers and yes, even the Mayor, if he's not busy. As usual, no business will be conducted at this meeting.

To make this party a success, RNA asks all those who are planning to attend to bring some holiday treat (preferably home-made) or a softdrink.

This year, we are also requesting that everyone bring a guest to our holiday party - a new neighbor or friend, or maybe, just someone who isn't a member of our group.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Each year, RNA organizes this traditional Yuletime activity for our neighborhood. We need at least ten or more stout-hearted souls to sing holiday songs. The exact date will be set at the December 10th meeting, but at this point, we are aiming for Sunday, December 22nd.

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HARBOR VIEW HOLIDAY PARTY

RNA's annual party for the residents of the Harbor View Health Care Center, held on Friday, November 22th, was a real success. The residents really enjoyed themselves. Each person was given a stuffed animal or doll by Santa Claus and some won special table prizes.

The residents were entertained with singing by Maria Tuzzo and live music by Frank Frega. Robert Boesch dressed up as Santa Claus.

RNA would like to thank everyone who helped to make this party a success, by donating their time, baked goods or gifts: Constance Aquiliano, Catherine Boesch, Mrs. Briarty, Camille Cesari, Ruth Conrad, Joan Considine, Claire Gaito, Maria Galitsos, Catherine Keens, Patrick Moore, Ernest Quintero, Dolly Quinton, Madeline Rea, Frances Santoro, Rose Scalzo, Harry and Isabel Siano, and Marcella Williams. RNA would like to especially acknowledge Jack Rea, Valerie Rea and Maria Tuzzo for their efforts in organizing this event. Monteleone's Pastry Shop donated a cake in Gert Bogdan's memory. Carol Rigante of Goehrig's Bakery donated a tray of cookies. If we forgot to mention someone, we apologize.

A special thanks to the Harbor View staff who helped to make this party a big success. This party is RNA's way of thanking our neighbors at Harbor View for letting us hold our meetings in their house and making the residents feel that they're a part of our community.

LEAF COLLECTION

There are two more leaf collections days: **Thursday, December 5th and 19th**. Leaves must only be placed in biodegradable brown paper bags (No plastic bags). Bags are available at the Municipal Buiilding at 325 Palisade Avenue or at the Jersey City Incinerator Authority (432-4645) or from Maria Tuzzo (659-2245).

Leaves should be placed out with the regular garbage, on Wednesday, the night before your regular collection day.

Reminders:

1) DEADLINE for the January, 1997 newsletter is Friday, December 27, 1996. Drop off articles at 232 Ogden.
2) RNA MEMBERSHIP: Don't forget to pay your 1997 Dues of $5.00.

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RIVERVIEW NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION
WOULD LIKE TO WISH ALL
OUR NEIGHBORS, MEMBERS
AND FRIENDS:
MERRY CHRISTMAS,
FELICE NAVIDAD,
HAPPY CHANUKAH AND
A HAPPY AND HEALTHY
NEW YEAR!

YOU ARE CORDIALLY
INVITED TO OUR HOLIDAY
PARTY ON TUESDAY,
DECEMBER 10th at 7:15 PM
PLEASE BRING A REFRESHMENT AND A FRIEND!

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RNA HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

1) RNA HOLIDAY PARTY: **DECEMBER 10TH**

All our members, neighbors & friends are INVITED

2) ANNUAL FOOD AND TOY DRIVE

Contributions accepted until December 12th

3) HOLIDAY CAROLING

Date to be announced at Party

RNA MEETINGS: SECOND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7:15 PM
AT THE HARBOR VIEW HEALTH CARE CENTER